

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

An object of the invention is to prevent unnecessary fetching of data stored in a server while preventing the occurrence of a situation in which no mail can be received at a necessary time in a communication apparatus for fetching the data stored in the server. In this communication apparatus, a time table number corresponding to a day of the week counted by a timer is obtained from a day of the week designated day storage section. An automatic calling time closest to and later than the present time is obtained from a calling time storage section and is set to a designated time based on this obtained time table number and the present time counted by the timer. Further, when the setting of designated time coincides with the present time counted by the timer, mail data destined to own station stored in the server of an ISP is obtained by calling an access point of the ISP.